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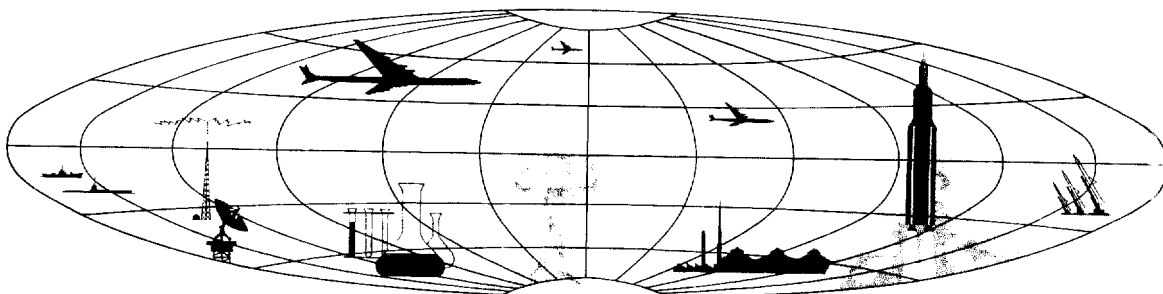
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PREFACE

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Titles and letter designators for the various facilities are as follows: (A) railroad service, (B) road service, (C) landing strips, (D) administrative and troop housing areas, (E) storage areas, (F) ammunition storage areas, (G) POL storage areas, (H) other buildings and facilities, (J) equipment storage/maintenance areas, (K) athletic fields, (L) small arms firing ranges, (M) driver training areas, (N) tank/assault gun firing ranges, (P) flat trajectory firing ranges, (Q) artillery emplacements (batteries), (R) infantry or combined arms field training area or courses, (S) special training facilities, (T) unidentified facilities or tracking activity.

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VESELYY KUT ARMY BARRACKS
AND

ASSOCIATED TRAINING AREA

(46-04N 029-17E)

VESELYY KUT, ODESSKAYA OBLAST, USSR

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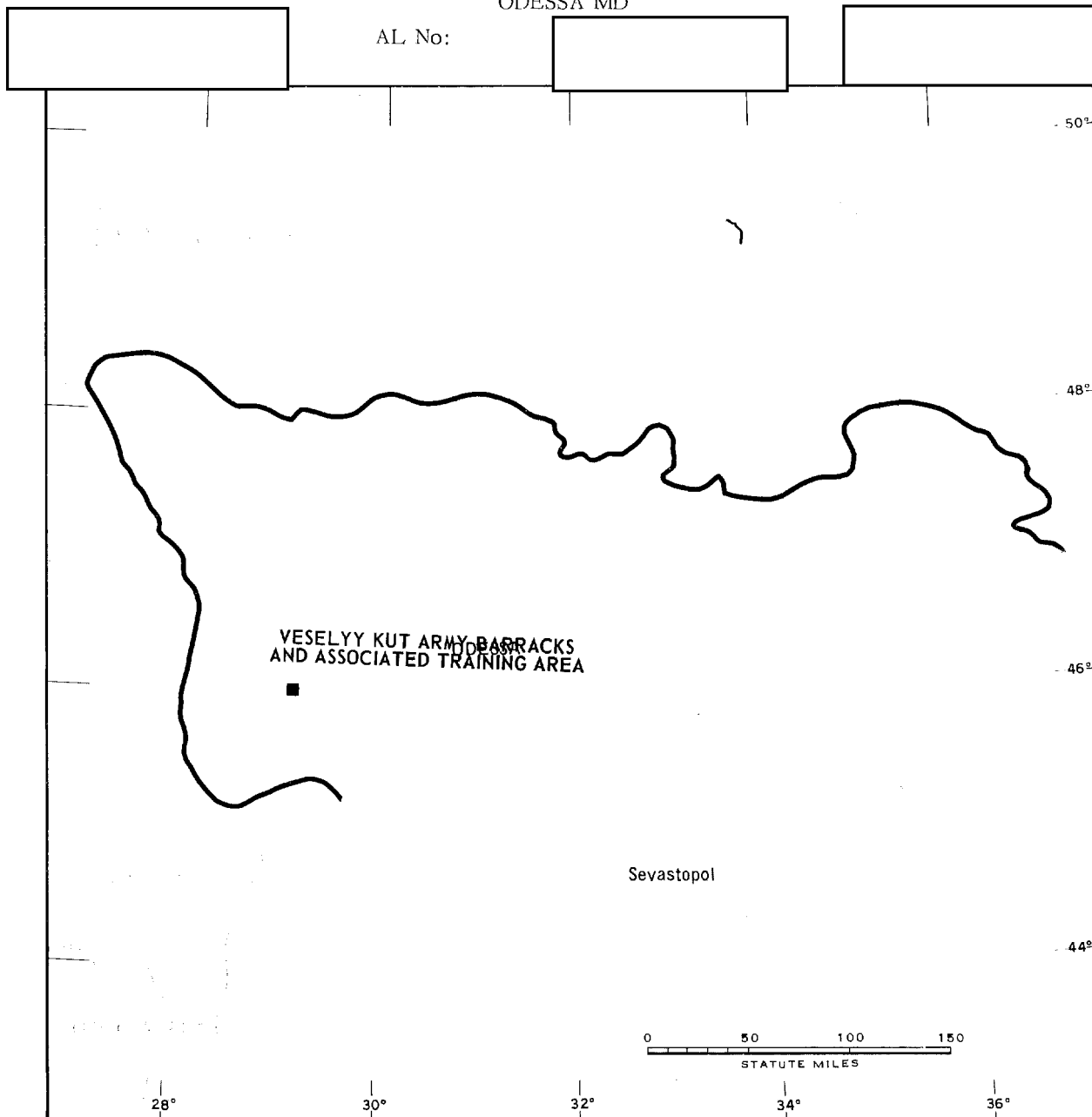


FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF VESELYY KUT ARMY BARRACKS AND ASSOCIATED TRAINING AREA.

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FIGURE 2. VEVELLY KUT ARMY BARRACKS AND ASSOCIATED TRAINING AREA, VEVELLY KUT, USSR.

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SUMMARY

Veselyy Kut Army Barracks and an associated training area are located on the northern edge of Veselyy Kut (Figure 1).

The barracks and training area cover approximately 700 acres and contain an administration building, 5 barracks, a storage building, 4 probable storage buildings, a vehicle park/open storage area, 4 explosives storage buildings, 6 support buildings, 8 range control/support buildings, a wheeled/tracked-vehicle

driver-training course, and a tank/assault-gun firing range (Figure 2).

This area was covered on [redacted] missions [redacted] The only significant changes were an increase in track activity at the tank/assault-gun firing range from light to medium [redacted] and the construction of a wheeled/tracked-vehicle driver-training course [redacted]

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DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

Road Service

Secondary all-weather roads connect this area with Veselyy Kut.

Administration and Troop Housing Area

Area D contains an administration building, 5 barracks, a storage building, 4 probable storage buildings, a vehicle park/open storage area (200 by 150 feet), and 6 support buildings.

Explosives Storage Area

Area F contains 4 explosives storage buildings. This area is probably double secured.

Other Buildings

Areas H1, H2, and H3 contain a total of 8 range control/support buildings which were all constructed [redacted]

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Driver-Training Area

Area M contains a wheeled/tracked-vehicle driver-training course, which was constructed [redacted]

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Tank/Assault-Gun Firing Range

Area N contains a 4,400-foot range with two 2,400-foot firing lanes and 4 moving-target runs.

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MAPS OR CHARTS

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REQUIREMENT

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